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Information Disclosure Statement

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Information Disclosure Statement (Form PTO-1449) in the above-captioned application with references.

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This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted before the mailing of a first Office action after the filing of a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(4).

The references cited on the attached Form PTO 1449 were identified in a European Search Report mailed 21.01.2003 for EP 02255161.8-1524, which includes disclosure similar to the above-referenced U.S. Patent Application. The undersigned believes that no fee is required with this Information Disclosure Statement; however, if a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fee from USPTO Deposit Account No. 50-0891.

Respectfully submitted,


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